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LETTER OF SUPPORT – MAPS4SOCIETY (concept 1)
Support to Maps4Society

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Dear Mr. Versluis,

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It is with great interest that we learned about your initiative to develop a consortium Maps4Society. From our role as GIS-knowledge Firm, this is important to us. Last years due to centralization and European regulations, the bigger governmental organizations as RWS are on a bigger distance for a SME as ours. And these organizations have the best possibilities and interest in innovative firms as ours. A second important issue is the cooperation with universities and knowledge institutes. After RGI, the cooperation has become more difficult, while the dissemination and implementation of research subjects in daily practice is essential to keep up the level of innovative solutions.

Nieuwland Geo-Information is build on further education of academic persons on GIS and ICT, supporting them in finding a future in the GIS-market. Our research and development is focussed on open-source software solutions in distribution information (inspire geoportals), presenting this information (WebGISPublisher) and use the information on all sorts devices out of the office (mobile solutions).

We support your consortium and your programme because we see the following benefits for our organization and the Dutch community like:
Participating in a knowledge network, contributing to research in the Topsectoren and transferring innovative solutions to practical and cost-effective solutions for the GIS-market.

We hereby declare that our organization is open to discuss opportunities for contributions to project proposals, in particular the issues mentioned in Object life cycle Management, Water and Crisis management.

Maps4Society is an important initiative that will be a crucial enabler for the Dutch industry to improve and extend their business. Maps4Society will enable the Netherlands science community to reach and keep a top level position in a broad range of domains. It will allow us to play a leading role in the research and innovation into open, shared, and linked location data and how it can be used in many fields of application.

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